

HEALTH SYSTEM REFORM TASK FORCE

UTAH LEGISLATURE

Thursday, September 18, 2008 • 8:00 a.m. • C250 State Capitol

Note: The audio portion of this meeting will be broadcast live over the Internet and an archived copy of the broadcast will be available at <http://www.le.utah.gov/asp/interim/Commit.asp?Year=2008&Com=TSKHSR>. Background materials bill posted at this same site as they become available.

Approximate
Time Frame

8:00

1. Committee Business

- Call to order
- Approval of the minutes of the August 21, 2008 meeting

8:05

2. Transparency and Value

The Task Force will review efforts underway in Utah to make cost and quality information available for episodes of care and to identify and incorporate best practices in clinical care.

- Ms. Christie North, Director, Utah Partnership for Value-driven Health Care
 - Organization and charter
 - Capacity to provide quality and cost data, including by episode of care
- Utah Medical Association and the Utah Partnership for Value-driven Health Care — Report on best practices
 - Introduction
 - Where we are and where we are headed
- Steve Nielsen, Coordinator, Utah Medical Home Pilot Project
 - Dr. Michael K. Magill, MD, Chair, Department of Family and Preventive Medicine, University of Utah School of Medicine
 - Dr. Robert Wheeler, Medical Director, Regence BlueCross BlueShield of Utah
 - Mr. Mike Tanner, Manager, Human Resources, O.C. Tanner
 - Medical Homes

10:00

3. Personal Responsibility

As follow-up to last meeting's review of initiatives to promote wellness through individual responsibility, the Task Force will be briefed by the Department of Health on state wellness goals related to health care reform.

- Utah Department of Health

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10:10 4. Public Programs

The Health and Human Services Appropriations Subcommittee will report on its September 15 discussion of either adopting or expanding the use of the following concepts in Utah's Medicaid program:

- (a) health savings accounts;*
- (b) medical homes; and*
- (c) episodes of care pricing.*

- Representative Merlynn T. Newbold, Co-chair, Health and Human Services Appropriations Subcommittee

10:50 5. Health Insurance Reform — Business

The Task Force will receive a report from the business input group developing recommendations for the Task Force.

- Senator Wayne L. Niederhauser

11:25 6. Other Business

12:00 7. Adjourn